



Internet Safety Day



8th February 2019

PTA Disco

The PTA will be running their Valentine's Disco on Tuesday, 12th February 4pm – 4.55pm for Early Learners, Reception and Year 1 and Year 2 children and from 5pm – 6pm for the juniors (Years 3 – 6). Entrance is £1 on the door and refreshments, tattoos, glow sticks and face painting will be on sale during the disco. Any donations of cakes (no nuts) on the day will be appreciated. Children from Reception and Early Learners will need to be accompanied by an adult.

Safer Internet Day

Thank you to Archie's dad in Year 4 for talking to the children on Safer Internet Day about keeping safe on line. He visited school as a Digital Ambassador for the Halifax Bank.

Fair Trade

Mr Wood and Miss Marsden took Lola, Lily, Regan and Ryan from Year 5 to Lancashire's Fair Trade Conference. Watch this space for further information.

What's On?

Games & Jigsaws Y1-Y6 Gymnastics Y2	Monday 11th	Cricket Comp @ 3.30pm
PTA Disco Infants 4pm-4.55pm Juniors 5pm-6pm	Tuesday 12th	Singalong R-Y6 Book Week Lunch
Guitars Y3-Y6 Junior Craft Y3-Y6 Running Y5/6	Wednesday 13th	
Infant Craft Y1/2 Football Y3/4	Thursday 14th	
Indoor Cricket Y6 Drama Y3-Y6	Friday 15th	School closes @ 3.25pm

Twitter

If you use Twitter, please follow us on Twitter (@lancylane).

Welcome

Welcome to James in Reception and Leon in Year 2 who joined us this week. We hope you already feel like Lancy Laners.

Parking

Thank you to those parents who adhere to our voluntary one way system. If someone new collects or drops off your child, please remind them of the one way system. As always, please be courteous to our neighbours when parking.

Clubs

Due to a cricket match, there will be no Clayton Cup on Monday. Gardening Club, Handball and Reading Club are all cancelled on Tuesday, due to the disco.

Book Week

To promote and encourage reading at home, we will be holding a sponsored read during Book Week. The children will raise money towards new books for school and will also receive a raffle ticket for every day they have read at home. They have the chance to win a book prize, during the special assembly on Friday, 15th February.

During the assembly, there's also staff performance for the children to enjoy too! Family and friends are very welcome to come and join us in the hall at 9.10am. So get sponsored and get reading – the more money raised, the more books we'll have to read! A reminder that we are dressing up as a book character (this does not have to be from the Wizard of Oz) on the Monday and the Friday of Book Week. The Book People will be providing a variety of books to buy. The fair will take place in the school hall every day from 3:20-4:00pm.

Outside Acheivements

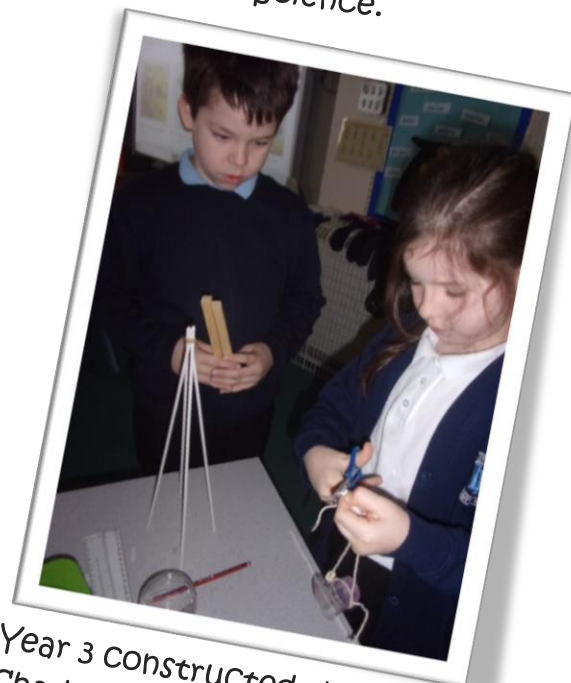
Poppy in Year 4 and Ben in Year 1 ran 2K at Blackburn Road Runners, Ruby in Year 2 took her 1st exam in cheer and got highly commended and Angel W in Y1 achieved her 10m and 20m in swimming. Well done to all of you.



Year 1 had a furry visitor.



Year 4 used a disclosure tablet in Science.



Year 3 constructed their own Shadufs from Ancient Egypt.

Early Learners Pre-School



Early Learners held a parent session to promote healthy lifestyles.

Special Mentions this week:

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Louie	Mollie	Kayden	Jasneet	Alfie	Melissa	Isabelle
<p>Mrs Geldard's choice is Jack In Year 5</p>			<p>Mrs Anstey's choice's are Sophie and Jessica in Year 6</p>			
<p>Team points this week – ROBINS 177 – SQUIRRELS 162 – BEAVERS 151 – DOLPHINS 119</p>						

Online Safety:

In a bid to help parents and children get best out of the time they spend online, internetmatters.org has devised five simple tips to help manage children's screen time so they can make the most out of their time both on and offline.

Here is tip 5:

5 Use technology and apps to help manage screen time

For example, the Forest app enables them to grow a beautiful forest each day they don't use their phone for a set amount of time. The app's 'Guided Access' limits the time you can access any given app, which can be great for younger children.



60% of parents are concerned their kids don't have interests outside the web



Parents of 12-year-olds are most concerned about lack of offline interests



Children aged between 11 and 16 post on average 26 times a day



Upcoming Dates

- Tuesday, 12th February - Valentines Disco
- Monday, 11th February - Friday, 15th February - Book Week
- Tuesday, 12th February - Book Week Lunch
- Friday, 15th February - School closes @ 3.20pm
- Monday, 25th February - school re-opens @ 8.55am
- Monday, 25th February - PTA meeting @ 3.30pm
- Thursday, 28th February - Year 6 Electricity Day
- Wednesday, 6th March - Friday, 8th March - Tower Wood Residential Trip
- Wednesday, 20th March - Class Photographs
- Wednesday, 20th March - Year 2 SATs Meeting @ 9.15am